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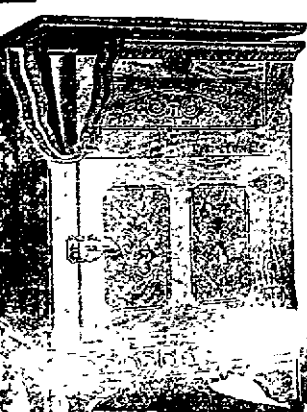
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LOCAL NEWS.

Deanz, Tailor, 117 North Water St.

Go to Henry Bros. bakery for all kinds
of cakes, pies, etc. dec 28-dtf
Whitley handles none of the inferior
grade chocolates.

Col. Charles Holt, the temperance evangelist,
has returned from South Dakota.

Dr. H. P. Bachman, dentist rooms 7,
8 and 9, in Temple block. 5 dtf

This week W. H. McGinnis, the post-
master at Cisco, passed away in death.
Ask for the Michl Bouquet and Little
Rose cigars.

The Grand Opera House cigars made
by Johnny Weigand are the best in town.
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BEST Imported Cement for Side-
walks; warranted. Decatur Rock Plaster
Co., new phone 538.

The members of the Pitzlin athletic club
will meet again tonight to receive the second
lesson of the series of a dozen.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

What's the matter with you? Consti-
pated? Cascarets will cure. Eat them
like candy.

L. M. Fairbanks will put up a \$15,000
hotel at Bement, on the lot lately owned
by the Christian church.

Mama eats a Cascaret, baby gets the
benefit. Cascarets make mother's milk
mildly purgative.

The High school base ball nine are ar-
ranging with the Moweaqua club for a
game next Thursday.

Lowrey's first-class chocolates and
World's Premium box candies are handled
exclusively by Whitley.

An elegant line of popular musical mer-
chandise is always on sale at the C. B.
Prescott music house. Latest sheet music.

Go to Spencer & Lehman company for
wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps
and pump repairs. feb14-dtf

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

Ed Rossmeyer was fined \$3 and costs
for drunkenness in Justice Peacock's
court today.

Just before going to bed eat a Cascaret
candy cathartic. Makes you feel fine in
the morning.

L. Chodot's news house,
No. 117 North Water street.
Cigars, tobaccos and pipes.
Best assortment in the city.

The Salvation Army people made their
usual parade last night. There was no
disturbance, no blockading of streets and
walks, and no arrests.

At 10 o'clock tomorrow forenoon the
funeral of the late A. W. Hardy will be
held at the residence, 834 South Water
street.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

Go to Spencer & Lehman company for
fine surreys, canopy and extension top-
buggies and road wagons, and a full
line of medium grade vehicles.
Feb. 26, d&w tf

The Cooper & Co. circus show failed to
reach Decatur. It didn't get any further
north than Pana where the management
came to financial grief. Many of the
small boys in this city were woefully dis-
appointed.

Wednesday night at Champaign the
Vesper Chapter, No. 128, Order of the
Eastern Star, gave an elaborate reception
in honor of the grand officers of the state,
closing with an elaborate banquet.
Charles L. Hovey, of Decatur, the grand
worthy patron, responded to the toast,
"The Great Brotherhood."

No better soft coal in this market than
Lincoln or Biverton. Buy it of M. F.
Metz. Personally he can be found at the
yard office, 800 North Broadway. For
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Phone 485. Also leave orders with T. W.
Cann 628 North Main or with Harry
Metz at King & Metz' drug store. Hard
coal all sizes, always in stock at market
prices. Nov. 11dtf

Changes on the Vandalia!

It is stated that there will soon be a
number of changes on the Vandalia.
Harry Miller is to be appointed general
superintendent of the Vandalia line, with
headquarters at Terre Haute; Benjamin
McKeen, superintendent of the Peoria di-
vision, is to be appointed superintendent
of the main line, vice Mr. Miller, and
Trainmaster Campbell is to succeed Mr.
McKeen on the Peoria division.

Powers' Shoe Store.

We contracted to be delivered in the
month of April 300 pairs of ladies' \$5 ox
blood shoes; also 300 pairs of gentlemen's
same shade. The shoes have just come in
and rather than have them returned the
manufacturers have reduced the price so
that we can retail them to you at \$3.50 a
pair. See our gentlemen's French calf
patent leathers at \$4, every pair warrant-
ed. Ladies' tan hats, and button boots,
\$1.50 a pair, are not matched in this town
today. Powers' shoe store. -2-d&w1w

THE M'KINLEY CLUB.

They Held a Meeting Last Night to Ar-
range for the Entertainment of the
Chicago Marching Club.

The members of the McKinley club
held a meeting last night to make arrange-
ments for the entertainment of the Cook
County Marching club which will stop in
this city on June 15 on their way to the
convention at St. Louis. The meeting
was called to order by the president, An-
drew Badenhausen. It was decided to hold
another meeting at a later date when it
was positively known whether or not the
Chicago club was going to stop in this
city. After some discussion as to the time
of the next meeting a motion by Dr. Cal-
houn to meet next Tuesday was carried.

Bert Park suggested that a marching
club in this city be organized and that the
secretary be empowered to take the names
of all those who would join. This met
with an objection from Harry Moore on
the grounds that the club was already
in existence. The motion by Park
carried and during a recess which was
taken about fifty names were enrolled for
the marching club.

After the recess I. N. Coltrin suggest-
ed that the hall be rented for the use of
the club. It was suggested by others that
rent which was owing for the use of the
Tabernacle be paid before another place
was rented. The subject of the place of
meeting and the rent was referred to the
executive committee. The subject of
money was discussed and it was decided
that the finance committee make some
arrangement to secure a fund. The meet-
ing adjourned until next Tuesday night.

Change of Date.

Owing to the fact that the hall is en-
gaged for Tuesday night the meeting will
not be held until Thursday night, June 11.

AFTER INFORMATION.

Attorney Walker Files an Objection of
Interest in the County Court.

Among the objections filed in the county
court as to unjust tax assessments is
one by Attorney I. D. Walker applying to
special assessments. Mr. Walker avers
that he has a lot against which a special
assessment for paving was levied, the same
to be paid on the five year installment
plan. The first installment was paid and
then the balance was assessed and the city
issued bonds to cover the amount, the
bonds bearing 6 per cent interest. The
second to fifth installment inclusive were
due on August 1, '96, '97, '98 and '99. In
his objections he declares that according
to the terms of the city by virtue of
which the work was done, the installments
are due on January 1 of each year and be-
comes delinquent on March 10 following.
He declares that at no time since the second
installment became due January 1, '96,
has he been able to pay the principal
of that installment without also paying
the interest at 6 per cent, not only to the
day the obligation was discharged, but to
the first day of the following August. He
can't understand why he should pay 6 per
cent interest on each of the remaining in-
stalments six months after the obligation
has been fully discharged and he holds the
receipt for the same, or why he should be
refused the privilege of discharging that
obligation when it is due unless he gives
up a bonus of 6 per cent interest for six
months.

Officers Elected.

At a meeting held last evening the
members of Fern Leaf Temple No. 18,
Rathbone Sisters, elected the following
officers:
E. C.—Clara E. Dew.
E. S.—Susan M. Bobo.
E. J.—Flora Allen.
M. of T.—Idora Carter.
M. of R. and C.—Magie Perry.
M. of F.—Mollie Kellar.
P. of T.—Maggie Kaylor.
G. of O. T.—Elizabeth Snarr.
Grand Representative to Grand Lodge—
S. Emma King.

The Epworth League society of Grace
Methodist church have elected the follow-
ing officers:
President—L. B. Osborn.
First Vice President—G. A. Kinney.
Second Vice President—Miss Hattie
Ward.
Third Vice President—Bert Jones.
Fourth Vice President—Miss Nonie
Bergen.
Secretary—Charles M. Steele.
Treasurer—Cecil Davidson.

The heads of the committees were ap-
pointed as follows:
Literature—Bert Jones.
Prayer Meetings—G. A. Kinney.
Mercy and Help—Hattie Ward.
Social Work—Nonie Bergen.
Correspondence—Charles M. Steele.
Finance—Cecil Davidson.

Knights of Pythias Election.

At the regular meeting of Coeur de
Leon lodge, No. 17, Knights of Pythias,
held last night, the following officers were
elected for the ensuing term of six
months:

Chancellor Commander—Max Atlas.
Vice Chancellor—E. S. Millspeugh.
Praetor—Robert I. Hunt.
M. of W.—John C. Mosher.
K. of R. & S.—F. W. Warner.
M. of E.—Andrew Kramling.
M. of F.—M. Holburn.
M. at A.—Fred A. Snyder.

Grand lodge representative to fill unex-
pired term of one year—Samuel D. Mc-
Kinney.

After the election the Rank of Knight
was conferred upon Esquires Dwyer and
Schepper.

It has been announced that there would
be a testimonial ball for Frank Marsh at
Coeur de Leon hall given by private par-
ties on June 10. The leasing of the hall
for that purpose was recalled by vote of
the lodge.

Funeral of A. W. Hardy.

The funeral of the late Augustus W.
Hardy will be held Saturday morning at
10 o'clock at the residence on South Wa-
ter street. The burial will be at Green-
wood cemetery.

Charged With Stealing Hogs.

In Justice Peacock's court on com-
plaints of F. C. Snyder, Cass Brunell,
John Caskey and Joe Clayton were charged
with stealing two pigs. The justice
failed to discover that there had been a
theft and the accused were discharged.

Chan's Picture.

In the Chicago Times-Herald today ap-
pears the picture of C. M. Powers, of De-
catur, winner of the L. C. Smith cup at
the Illinois state Sportsman's association
tournament. The cup is emblematic of
the state championship at inanimate ob-
jects.

Base Ball Game.

The High school nine played the lunch
counter club yesterday afternoon at the
ball park. The school boys were victori-
ous. The score was 26 to 5. The battery
for the High school was Seiberling and
Stout, and for the lunch counter nine,
Eymann and Armstrong.

Sold for \$591.

The undivided half interest of John W.
Walker in the Vandundy & Walker grain
business property at Macon, was sold yester-
day by Deputy Sheriff Holmes to John
Vandundy for \$591. The claim was in
favor of Sara Giles, of Macon. It was
\$1,717.

Bicycle and Wagon Collide.

There was a collision between a bicycle
and wagon on West Wood street yesterday
afternoon. A man named Mesner was
riding the wheel and ran into Lyon's gro-
cery wagon. Mesner was quite badly
bruised as a result of the fall he received.

Will Open on Sunday.

"The Goodway Mission" at the corner of
North Water and Bradford streets is nearly
finished, and the prospects for the dedica-
tion by the Rev. M. L. Haney on Sun-
day, June 14, are very good. The Rev.
James Hobbs has been instrumental in
the erection of the mission.

Help for St. Louis.

A grand benefit concert for the St. Louis
cyclone sufferers will be given at the
Powers Grand opera house on Tuesday
evening, June 9 by the Nellis Lyric soci-
ety, assisted by the opera house orchestra,
the Arion Male Quartet, Prof. Otto Sol-
dan and other leading musicians of De-
catur. Seats, 50, 25 and 25 cents. Tickets
on sale at the opera house drug store. -5-4

Hair Turned White.

Harley Moyer, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Henry Moyer, who moved away from Cer-
ro Gordo a few years ago, was a victim of
the storm in East St. Louis. He was
standing near the front of one of the hotel
buildings when the structure was blown
over him and he was covered in the
wreck. Where he was lying he saw a wo-
man crushed to death near him, but was
unable to help her. He was covered two
hours and finally dug his way out. He
is about 25 years and had black hair be-
fore the storm. When he got out it had
turned gray. While he was digging out
he sweat so much that he says he lost
more than ten pounds in weight. He
was not seriously hurt.

WILL BE SETTLED NEXT WEEK.

The Arbitration Committee Will be Held
Tuesday to Adjust Christian Church
Difficulties.

Next week promises to bring a final set-
tlement of the troubles which now exist
between the two Christian churches. The
committee from the ministerial associa-
tion which has been asked to settle the
matter will be in the city next Tuesday.
Officials of both factions of the church
have signed articles whereby they agree to
abide by any decision which the commit-
tee sees fit to return. The matter will be
laid before the committee and they will
give their judgment. The members of
the committee are as follows: Rev. J. H.
Gilliland, of Bloomington, chairman,
Rev. Wagner, of Eureka; Rev. N. S.
Haynes, of Englewood; Rev. Jones of
Danville, and Rev. Smart. The decision
of these gentlemen will probably settle
finally all of the unpleasantness.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Varities Which Will be on Sale at the
Grocery Stores in this City To-Morrow.

There will be a large variety of fruits
for sale in the stores tomorrow. The sea-
son for strawberries is nearly over and
those that can now be bought are not of a
particularly good quality. They sell for 10
cents and 12½ cents for the best and some
are still cheaper. Black and red raspber-
ries sell for 15 cents per quart and black-
berries for the same price. Gooseberries
are 10 cents per quart and cherries 10
cents per box.

Bananas sell for 15 cents per dozen and
lemons also at 15 cents. Very few oranges
can be found and what are on sale are of
a poor quality.

Radishes, onions, new beets, asparagus,
pie plant, all home grown, sell for 5 cents
per bunch and lettuce for 5 cents per
head. Home grown cauliflower is 10 cents
per head and umbages 5 cents. Cucum-
bers sell two for 5 cents and tomatoes at
20 cents per dozen. String beans are 40
cents per peck, green peas 50 cents per
peck and spinach 30 cents per peck. Old
potatoes are rather scarce and sell for 30
cents per bushel. Eggs are 10 cents per
dozen.

Spring chickens will be on sale to-mor-
row at about 35 cents each. Old chickens
for roasting sell for 12½ cents per pound
dressed weight.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

BUTTS.

The Happy Marriage of Mr. George
terworth and Miss Hattie Miller at
Grace M. E. Church.

Bloomington Pantograph, June 5: In
the presence of several hundred friends
and relatives from this and other cities,
the marriage of Mr. George Butterworth,
son of Mr. and Mrs. James Butterworth,
of 410 East Walnut street, and Miss Hat-
tie Miller, daughter of Rev. and Mrs.
James Miller, was solemnized last even-
ing at 8:30 o'clock in Grace M. E. church.
For this event the main auditorium had
been handsomely decorated with ferns and
flowers. Mr. Alfred M. Murray presided
at the organ and played Lohengrin's
march as the bridal party entered the
church, and "Oh Promise Me" during the
ceremony. The little flower girls, Nellie
Butterworth, a cousin of the groom, and
Mary Elrod, removed the ribbons in the
center aisle; the ushers, Dr. Miller,
brother of the bride, from Decatur, Ralph
Spafford, cousin of the groom, Thomas
Roberts and John Buchanan followed.
The maid of honor, Nettie Butterworth,
sister of the groom, and the bride-maid,
Grace Hamsher of Decatur, and Etta Wal-
ker of this city, preceded the bride, leav-
ing on her father's arm, completed the
procession. At the altar the groom, ac-
companied by Mr. Harry Davison as best
man, met the party and the bride's father
in a few impressive words, performed the
ceremony, then to the strains of Mendels-
sohn's march the newly married couple
and their friends left the church.

Immediately after the wedding a recep-
tion was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Butter-
worth at the home of the bride's father
and mother.

The parlors were handsomely adorned
with flowers. Congratulations were show-
ered upon the participants in this inter-
esting and happy event and dainty re-
freshments were served during the even-
ing. The bride and her maid of honor
wore white silk and the bridesmaids pink.
Many friends were present from neigh-
boring cities as follows:

Mrs. S. P. Young, Mrs. Marie, Mr. and
Mrs. Black, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Ham-
sher, Misses Daisy and Sarah Imboden,
Mary E. Moore, Dr. Catto and wife, Jesse
E. Bendure and wife, Misses Eunice Scott,
Neta Bullard, Lulu Lunn, all of Decatur;
Abram Mann and wife, Thomas Bennett
and wife, of Rossville, Ill.; Dr. and Mrs.
Hunter, Mrs. S. H. Rucker, Edna Hills
and Mrs. Newman, of Clinton, Mr. and
Mrs. Robert Butterworth, Mrs. Carle, of
Wapella.

Mr. and Mrs. Butterworth left this
morning for a trip through Wisconsin and
will be gone several weeks.

Mr. Butterworth is a member of the
firm of Butterworth & Phillips and is con-
sidered a young man with an exception-
ally bright future. His family is among the
leading ones in this county and though
he has not resided here all his life he is
very well known for his good character
and sound principles. His bride is the
only daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Miller
and is possessed of many graces and ac-
complishments that fit her eminently to
fill the place she has just taken.

The Nellis Lyric Concert.

The concert which will be given by the
members of the Nellis Lyric club next
Tuesday evening at the opera house is to
be a fine entertainment. The price will
be 50 cents all over the house excepting in
the gallery where it will be 25 cents.

There will be no extra charge for re-
serve seats. The boxes will be sold at
auction. The proceeds of the entertain-
ment are to be used to start a fund for the
St. Louis sufferers. All those who are to
take part in the entertainment are request-
ed to meet at the home of Mrs. F. P.
Howard, No. 370 West North street, on
Friday evening, to rehearse.

Excursion tickets to St. Louis via Wa-
bash will be sold for trains leaving at
6:55 a. m. Saturday, June 6, and 3:40 a.
m. and 6:55 a. m. Sunday, June 7. All
tickets will be good to return on all trains
up to and including train leaving St. Louis
at 9 p. m. Sunday, June 7. Besides the
ruins left by the cyclone there are many
attractions in St. Louis. For complete
list of attractions and maps of city call at
city or depot ticket office. -3-4dt

The city council at Taylorville their
meeting Monday, passed the appropriation
ordinance providing for the running ex-
penses, which amounts to \$54,020, divided
as follows: Building city hall, \$5,000;
salary fund, \$5,000; street and alley fund,
\$5,000; sewerage fund, \$5,000; water
works fund, \$5,000; interest on water
works fund, \$1,020; contingent fund,
\$8,000; electric light fund, \$4,000.

There will be a free band concert at
Riverside park on Sunday afternoon.

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MOST PERFECT MADE.

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at this time of the year a good reliable nerve tonic. We believe there is nothing better, if as good, as TRI-NERVINE, composed of three of the most active and reliable drugs known to medicine, which are daily used and heartily recommended by all up-to-date physicians. Its beneficial effects will surprise you. For sale only by

Bell
The Druggist.
Cor. Main & North Sts.
Opposite Revere Building.



SALVATION ARMY ON TRIAL.

The Case Begins in Earnest and Promises to be Hard Fought by the Attorneys.

The case of the Salvation Army, charged with unlawfully obstructing the sidewalks, came up in Justice O'Conor's court this morning after being continued from last Wednesday. Attorneys D. C. Corley and Cassidy appeared for the defense and City Attorney Lee will prosecute. This morning a conference of the lawyers was held and this was overruled by the justice. This afternoon a jury was impaneled and examined by the lawyers. The following are the names of those on the jury: F. M. Shuck, George Markwell, Charles Sampson, John Millsap, Charles Mitchell, Harry Fisk, Jr., Walter Towling, Frank Black, Oona McDonald, Hugh Hughes, Taylor Crossley, F. W. Andrews and Will Gilkison. It will probably take a good part of the afternoon to examine and select jurors. The chances are that the case will last several days.

The members of the army say that they intend to fight the case to the end. District Secretary Irwin, of the Salvation Army, is in the city from Springfield and is with the local corps.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mayor Conklin was in Chicago yesterday.

Charles Kline is in Chicago on a business trip.

Charles Georgetown, of Evansville, Ind., is in the city visiting friends.

Superintendent J. S. Goodrich, of the Wabash, was in the city today.

George W. McGraw, of St. Louis, was in the city today on business.

Mrs. Emma Keyes has returned to her home in Monticello after a visit to friends in this city.

E. W. Wright, the traveling passenger agent for the C. B. & Q., was in the city today from Peoria.

Wick McFarland, representing a St. Louis wholesale paper house, was a visitor in the city today.

Dr. W. M. Catto arrived home this morning from Bloomington where he went to attend the wedding of Miss Hattie Miller.

C. C. Merrill, traveling passenger agent for the New York Central and Hudson River road, was in the city today on business.

Mrs. Pauline Johnson, who attends the Northwestern University at Chicago, is expected home for the summer vacation tomorrow.

Mrs. J. B. Dinges returned home last night from St. Louis where she went to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, who was killed in the cyclone.

Mrs. Jesse Fenton and Mrs. Speed, of Memphis, Tenn., who have been in the city visiting the family of Major F. L. Hays, left this morning for Chicago where they will stay during the summer months. They were accompanied by Hamilton Fenton.

Another Excursion.

The Wabash railroad will run another excursion to St. Louis next Saturday to give the people another opportunity to see the ruins of the cyclone. There will be plenty to see for some weeks yet.

Stenographer and Typewriter.

Call at room 11, court house, for work in this line. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Eva Baker and Joseph Nelson were fined \$5 and costs for disorderly conduct by Justice Shorb this afternoon.

Those desiring to view the remains of the late A. W. Hardy can do so by calling at the house before 10 a. m.

Do You Travel?

If so, never start on a journey without a bottle of Foley's Kidney and Bladder Cure, a sure preventive of bowel complaints occasioned by change of water or climate. - 25c. Neisler Drug & Supply Co. and N. L. Krohn.

The La Marsh district is practically free of water now.

AUSTIN CORBIN DEAD

Fatally Wounded by Being Thrown from His Carriage.

DEATH FOLLOWS A FEW HOURS LATER.

The Coachman Also Dies Without Regaining Consciousness—Corbin Edgell, a Nephew, and Dr. Paul Kunzier Also Injured.

NEWPORT, N. H., June 5.—Austin Corbin and his nephew, Corbin Edgell, with Dr. Paul Kunzier and Coachman John Stokes, started on a fishing trip about three o'clock yesterday afternoon. On going out of the yard at the farm house the horses slipped, tipping over the open carriage, throwing the occupants down an embankment about eight feet against a stone wall. The family saw the accident from the piazza and hurried to his assistance with the farm help. They found Mr. Corbin conscious but terribly wounded. His nephew and the doctors were also conscious. The coachman was unconscious and apparently hurt the worst of all. They were carried to the house and doctors summoned.

Mr. Corbin's injuries were very serious, a compound fracture of the right leg above the knee, a fearful scalp wound over four inches long on the forehead, cut through to the skull; one on the right side of the head three inches long and the hip and chin cut badly.

Dr. Kunzier was thrown over the wall and sustained a broken arm and sprained ankle. So far as known, Corbin Edgell had his leg twice broken between the knee and ankle. John Stokes' right leg was broken between the knee and ankle, and he sustained a fractured skull. Stokes died from his injuries about six o'clock without regaining consciousness.

The cause of the horses shying is said to be the fact that the coachman was driving them for the first time without blinkers.

Mr. Corbin died at 9:43 last evening, shortly after the arrival of Dr. Colley from Boston. His son, Austin Corbin, Jr., arrived on a special train from Boston at 11 o'clock but too late to see his father alive. All the other members of the family with the exception of his son-in-law, Mr. George S. Edgell, who is in the west, were present when he breathed his last.

AN ALLEGED EMBEZZLER

Who Registers in His Own Name and Makes No Attempt to Conceal His Identity.

TORONTO, Ont., June 5.—Philip Oppenheim, who according to a Sacramento (Cal.) dispatch, has been ordered by Sacramento superior court to turn over to T. M. Yates as receiver, some \$70,000 which he held as trustee for his mother, but who disappeared, arrived in Toronto Sunday last and registered at a hotel as Philip Oppenheim, Chicago. At the same time he stated that his home was in Sacramento. He is about thirty-seven years of age, plain and unassuming in his manner and makes no effort to conceal his identity.

THE NATIONAL GAME.

Games Played Yesterday by League and Association Clubs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Baltimore—Cleveland, 7; Baltimore, 3.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 7; Pittsburgh, 6.

At Washington—Washington, 10; Louisville, 6.

At Boston—Boston, 8; Chicago, 3.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 11; Cincinnati, 9.

At New York—New York, 13; St. Louis, 3.

At St. Paul—St. Paul, 14; St. Joseph, 2.

At Cedar Rapids—Cedar Rapids, 5; Burlington, 3.

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HARMONY RESTORED.

The Lion and the Lamb Lie Down Together

IN THE KENTUCKY STATE CONVENTION.

The Silver Men Having Carried Everything Their Own Way, Magnanimously Refrain from Censuring Cleveland and Carlisle.

LEXINGTON, Ky., June 4.—At the second day's session of the Kentucky state democratic convention harmony seemed to be the watchword of both factions. There had been a feeling of uneasiness on the part of the gold men, who feared that the silver crowd would in the intoxication of victory, denounce Cleveland and Carlisle; but the platform, while declaring for a policy diametrically opposed to that of the present administration, has not one word of censure for the democratic standard bearer, the secretary of the treasury.

It declares in emphatic terms for the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, and opposes the issue of bonds in time of peace and the national banking system. On the tariff question it declares that the government has no constitutional right to collect tariff duties for other than revenue purposes.

The delegates elected were instructed to vote as a unit for Blackburn for president. Senator Blackburn is at the head of the delegation and John S. Rhea, P. Wat Hardin and W. T. Ellis are his running mates. J. P. Tarvin, of Covington, and W. B. Smith, of Clark, were chosen electors.

Col. W. C. P. Brockbridge was called upon to speak and delivered an eloquent appeal for the gold standard, which was listened to with marked attention and respect by the silverites and was frequently interrupted with hearty cheers.

CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

Twenty-Second Annual Convention Opened at Grand Rapids Yesterday.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., June 5.—The twenty-second annual convention of Charities and Corrections opened last evening with 600 delegates in attendance. The convention opened with Harvey J. Hollister, president of the Grand Rapids charity organization, as presiding officer. The address of welcome on behalf of the state was made by Gov. John L. Rich. He was followed by Mayor Stow on behalf of the city, and J. B. Angell, president of the University of Michigan, on behalf of the educational institutions of the state. The several addresses elicited hearty applause from the delegates and citizens in attendance. The response was made by Andrew E. Elmore, of Green Bay, Wis., and when he closed he was heartily applauded.

The annual address was then read by W. Wright, of Madison, Wis. President Madison, in his annual address, on "New Philanthropy," spoke of the progression from age to age in the methods of handling and improving the dependent classes. He stated that the new philanthropy of the dawn of the twentieth century was distinguished by studying causes as well as symptoms and considering classes as well as individuals. On its practical side it seeks to change environment and build up character as well as to relieve distress. He emphasized the need of checking bad hereditary through the state institutions and the necessity for attacking pauperism and crime in the slums.

To-day the work of the conference will begin.

LOVERS OF THE YELLOW.

Seventh Annual Session of the Scotch-Irish Society of America.

HARRISBURG, Pa., June 5.—The Scotch-Irish Society of America began its seventh annual session in this city yesterday. A number of distinguished gentlemen from various parts of the country are present. Mayor Patton delivered an address of welcome, and Rev. Dr. John S. McIntosh, of Chicago, responded to the words of greeting.

The president of the society, Robert Bonner, of New York, is not able to be present, owing to illness, and has sent a letter declining to stand for re-election as president. Many names were presented for membership.

Yesterday afternoon the members and visitors went to Old Derry church, and later to Paxtang church, historic spots, where addresses were delivered.

Want to Remove the Republican Campaign Headquarters to Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 5.—Ex-Chairman (amison, of the republican state central committee, will present a resolution to-day to a meeting of the committee, calling on the Illinois committee, and the delegates from this state to St. Louis to work for the location of the national campaign headquarters in Chicago instead of New York. Capt. Tanner, the republican nominee for governor, will give the plan all his political influence at St. Louis in the interest of his election.

Dr. Jamison says the nomination of McKinley would prove a strong reason for the removal of the headquarters from New York, and Chicago had only Cleveland to fear as a rival under those circumstances.

One Officer Who Will Do His Duty.

NEW YORK, June 5.—The Eureka Athletic club have decided to withdraw their application for an injunction restraining Sheriff Dohi from interfering with the boxing contest which was to have been held at the club to-night. They do this because Sheriff Dohi has issued a declaration in which he states that he will prevent the contest despite any action that the club may take, even if he has to call upon the state militia to enforce his authority.

The Filled Cheese Bill Passed by the Senate Without Amendment.

WASHINGTON, June 4.—At 4 p. m., the senate passed, without amendment, the house bill as to filled cheese, the vote being yeas 37, nays 13.

Cretan Refugees.

ATHENS, June 5.—A number of Cretan refugees arrived at Patras, Wednesday night. They report all business in the towns on the island of Crete at a standstill, and that the entire country districts have been pillaged.

LINN & SCRUGGS
DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY.JUNE
Clearing Sale.

COMMENCING SATURDAY MORNING.

Don't Fail to Read Ad. in Sunday's Papers.

SPECIAL CLEARING SALE FOR SATURDAY.

100 Ladies' Trimmed Hats at \$1.49.

800 Ladies' Sailors at 49c.

75 Bicycle Hats, 35c.

Children's Lawn Caps, 25c.

Children's Reefers at 89c.

Ladies' Extra Fine Capes at \$3.98.

Ladies' Laundered Waists, 35c.

Ladies' Dress Skirts, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.49 and \$1.98.

Ladies' Ready-Made Dresses, \$1.25, \$1.49 and \$1.98.

White Kid Belts, 19c.

Ladies' Stock Bows, 19c.

White Silk Parasol, Dresden Handle, \$1.75.

Patent Leather Belts, 25c.

1,000 Black Belts at 9c.

400 Boxes Toilet Soap, three cakes in a box, at 8c box.

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2,000 Ounces Gevot's Extracts, 10 different odors, worth 25c an oz., our price, 10c oz.

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In our Underwear Window we are showing Two Lines of Men's Summer Underwear which we know to be of Exceptional value for the money.

LINE 1---Is a Mottled Balbriggan, light in weight, comfortable and cool, and is being sold for 25c a garment, or 50c a suit.

LINE 2---Is a natural color, silky fibred Combed Egyptian Balbriggan, bought direct from the manufacturer, and is exceedingly soft and cool. Shirts are made with French Yoke; Drawers are taped in the seat, have French Waistband, adjustable in the back to different sizes of waist. You may buy as good goods elsewhere; you cannot buy better at 50c a garment, \$1.00 a suit.

Your Money Back if You Want It.

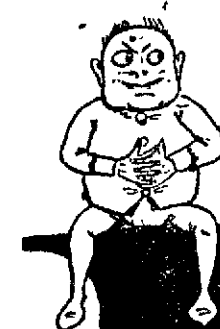
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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the stockholders of the Mueller Plumbing and Heating Co. held at their office on the 14th day of May, 1896, the name of the corporation was changed from the H. Mueller Plumbing and Heating Co. to the Decatur Plumbing and Heating Co., and that the certificates of stock of the Mueller Plumbing and Heating Co. are hereby declared null and void, and that the certificates of stock of the Decatur Plumbing and Heating Co. are hereby declared valid and in full force and effect, as provided by law in the county of Mason, as provided by law in the county of Mason, as provided by law in the county of Mason.

O. W. DAWSON, Secretary.

June 4-96

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Diseases of Eye and Ear.

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Twenty-three years experience in these specialties. Strabismus crossed eyes, cataracts, glaucoma, and all defective eyes. Rooms 7, 8, and 9, Temple Block, 806 North Water street, over Lutz Music Store.

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SPECIAL SALE

AT THE

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(COMMENCING TUESDAY, JUNE 2, at 7:30 A. M.)

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

20 pieces Black Mohair Figured good at 25c.
20 pieces Light Novelty, double width, sold for 40 and 50c; for this sale 22c.
20 pieces Dark Novelty, double width, sold for 30 and 35c; for this sale 15c.
2000 yds. Batiste, desirable colors, latest shades, at 6c.
2000 yds. White P. K. at 5c, 6c and 7c per yard—worth double the amount.
2000 yds. Light Calico, fast colors, at 3 1/2c yd.
2000 yds. Indigo Blue Calico, fast colors, at 4c a yard.
200 yds. Persian Silk, nobby styles, at 35 and 40c per yard.

LADIES' FURNISHING GOODS.

10 doz. Ladies' Black Sateen Skirts, full size, well made, fast colors, price \$1.00 and 1 1/2c; for this sale 33c apiece.
5 doz. Ladies' Collarettes, price \$1.00 and 1 1/2c; for this sale 48c.
5 doz. Ladies' Black Silk Mitts at 10c a pair.
2 doz. " " " " 15c a pair.
2 doz. Windsor Sateen Ties at 2c apiece.
50 Ladies' Black Hose at 4c a pair.
50 " " " " Ribbed Hose, sizes 5 1/2 to 8 1/2, at 8c.
50 Embroidered White Handkerchiefs at 1c.
50 Ladies' Laundered Dotted Lawn Waists at 48c.
50 Black Silk, 20-inch Parasols at 68c.

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

10 doz. Men's Striped Pants, well made, guaranteed to fit, usually sold at \$1.25 and 1 1/2c; for this sale 68c.
5 doz. Dark Striped Pants, well made and guaranteed to fit, usually sold for \$1.50 and 1 1/2c; for this sale 85c.
4 doz. Men's Fine All Wool Cashmere Dress Pants, extra well made, medium colors, sold for \$3.50 and \$4.00; for this sale \$1.98.
5 doz. Men's Laundered Negligee Shirts, attached collars and cuffs, neat patterns, during this sale 48c.
10 doz. Men's Fine Balbriggan Underwear, usually sold at 50c and 60c a pair; for this sale 24c a pair.
Men's Seamless Cotton working Socks, per pair, 3c.
10 doz. Men's working Plaid Jackets, sold at 50c; for this sale 18c.
5 " Men's Cheviot working Overshirts at 21c.
5 " Men's Linen 4-ply Collars, the latest styles, 8c.
5 " Celluloid Collars at 5c.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

Remarkable Sale of 350 Men's Extra Fine Suits, bought at 50c on the Dollar, which we offer to sell for this sale at REMARKABLY LOW PRICES.
Gentlemen's stylish and perfect fitting Business Suits, nobby cashmere, tasty and durable. Fancy Cheviots in all the newest patterns of the season.
These suits will compare favorably with the best that any clothing house has yet been able to offer at \$10. You can buy these suits during this sale at \$4.98.
Gentlemen's extra fine and stylish Dress Suits, the latest and nobbyest patterns; workmanship is simply perfection; fine Farmer's satin and serge lining, silk sewed throughout. Try where you may you cannot equal them for less than \$12 or \$15. You can buy these suits during this sale at \$6.98.
30 Boys' Linen Knoc Suits, ages 4 to 15 years, at a price that will astonish Decatur. Light and dark patterns. These suits are made by the best clothing makers of America, cut of the finest imported fabrics known to the trade. Every inch first-class. \$5.00 suit. Here is a bargain that you ought not let slip by during this sale. \$2.50.
50 Boys' Black Clay Worsted Knee Suits and Black Cheviot, fine quality, made of the very best material. Price \$5 and 68c. For this sale \$2.98.

LINEN DEPARTMENT.

50 dozen Turkish Towels, large size, at 4 1/2c apiece. 250 yards Unbleached Linen Toweling, 18 in. wide, at 5c yd. 250 yards Unbleached and Bleached Toweling at 7 1/2c yd. 250 yards Unbleached Table Linen at 28c yd. 250 yards Bleached Table Linen at 25c yd. 25 pairs Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, at 50c pair. 24 pairs Lace Curtains, 3 1/2 yards long, at 75c pair. 24 pairs Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, at 60c pair. 2 doz. Table Cloths, 2 1/2 yards long, with elegant fringe, at 60c apiece.

STRAW HATS.

For the men, boys and children, which we will offer for this sale at a great big bargain. We will also offer big bargains in the Shoe Department. Special bargains will be given in our Millinery department for this sale.
Thousands of other articles will be offered as cheap as the above prices.

Remember the sale commences Tuesday morning at 7:30, June 2nd.

The Savings Bank Store,

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Three New Model Smith Premier Typewriters,

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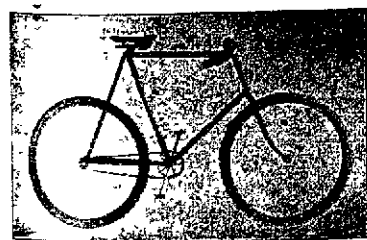
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Notes of the Day.

Germany has a war footing of 27,000,000 men.

An average of 1,000 pigs are eaten in London daily.

Liverpool has the largest total debt of any town in England.

In the United States forty persons out of each 100 are color blind.

Professor Spencer places the age of Niagara Falls at 32,000 years.

Hildrain says that mosquitoes and fleas never bite red-headed persons.

The new Russian consumption cure is by the inhalation of aniline vapors.

Paris, with a population of nearly 3,000,000 people, has less than 100 negroes.

Newsboys on bicycles is the latest form of newspaper enterprise in London.

The managers are putting third-class dining cars on some of the English railroads.

According to the St. Louis directory, just issued, the population of that city is 611,368.

Gunpowder exerts a force of twenty-three tons to the square inch; nitroglycerine, 264 tons.

"French paste," out of which artificial diamonds are made, is a mixture of best glass and oxide of lead.

The only colored "ossified man" was Lucius Moore, of Virginia, who went on exhibition 1890.

The ice cave near Decorah, Wineshiek county, Iowa, is said to be the only one in the central United States.

The English language is spoken by only about 125,000,000 persons, while the Chinese is spoken by over 400,000,000.

The Alton Railway and Illuminating Company finished and dedicated its new electric street railway system on Monday.

It connects Upper and North Alton with Alton in one grant system and represents an expenditure of \$200,000.

Mrs. Sarah J. Woland, who was appointed postmistress at Hartsburg by Wamamaker in '93, is soon to be succeeded by Richard P. Natl, who has received his bond and will soon be in charge.

Mrs. Woland took charge of the office February 1, 1893.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear.

There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies.

Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, deafness will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Naselli Ernesto, of Palermo, Italy, is the guest of Frank Gozola at the Columbian at Champaign.

Signor Ernesto has been an American citizen only a week. He is the correspondent of the Chicago Tribune and was a correspondent for that paper during the Abyssinian war.

When You Take Your Vacation

the most necessary article to have with you (after your pocket book) is a bottle of Foley's Kidney and Bladder Cure.

It is an absolute prevention of cure of all derangements of the bowels caused by a change of water. You are likely to need it. Neisler Drug and Supply Co. and N. L. Krone.

C. M. Waterberry and C. M. Brown, of Champaign, have purchased a controlling interest in the Fairfield Telephone company, which will hereafter be known as the Wayne County Telephone company.

Every postoffice in the county will be connected with the exchange at Fairfield.

Mr. C. A. Stillson, a merchant of Tampico, Ill., writes, August 10th, 1891:

"Foley's Kidney Cure is meeting with wonderful success. It has cured some cases here that physicians pronounced incurable. I myself am able to testify to its merits. My face to-day is a living picture of health, and Foley's Kidney Cure has made it such. I had suffered twenty-seven years with the disease, and to-day I feel ten years younger than I did one year ago. I can obtain some wonderful certificates of its medical qualities." Neisler Drug & Supply Co. and N. L. Krone.

The work of putting in a double track on the Peoria & Putnam Union between Wesley City and Pekin has been going on for several weeks with notable rapidity, and the beginning of this week found the grading almost completed. The piling for several of the bridges driven in place and the entire roadbed strewn with new ties and heavy steel rails.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by E. A. West, the druggist.

Creditors of Fred J. Collins, who failed for many thousands of dollars at Lecon, Ill., will be paid 25 cents on the dollar.

Thomas T. Donovan, of Kankakee, was the orator at the reunion of the Northern Indiana Law school at Valparaiso, Ind.

The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

Rev. John Burgess, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: "I have been a Minister of the Methodist Episcopal church for 50 years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery." Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now. At West's drug store.

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We are carrying a large line of very fine vehicles because we have been unable to move them at a fair profit. The demand this year has been less than usual for very fine vehicles.

We traded harness for our vehicles and therefore made our profit in paying for them and can afford to sell them cheap; much cheaper than the fellows who pay cash.

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Three Meals

a day, no matter how warm the weather. And yet the task isn't such a burdensome one, even in weather as warm as the present, when you have a gas range. If you have not a gas range there is certainly no good reason why you should not get one at once. In the first place the price of fuel gas has been reduced to \$1.25 a thousand. This makes

Gas the Cheapest Fuel

you can use. It is cheaper than gasoline at 11 cents a gallon, and then it make no odor; there is no danger and no insurance permit is necessary. You turn the valve, you touch the match, and when the meal is done another turn of the wheel and the expense stops.

How Simple! How Comfortable!

You do not know what you are missing if you are still doing your cooking over an old-fashioned coal stove or a dangerous, ill-smelling gasoline makeshift. Not only has the price of fuel gas been reduced, but in order to get as many gas ranges into operation as possible this summer,

The Decatur Gaslight & Coke Co.

have bought a large number of various styles of the latest and best gas ranges made and are offering them at exactly what they cost to manufacture. If you are interested in the subject, and every woman should be, call at their office in the

PASFIELD BUILDING, ON NORTH MAIN STREET,

see the gas ranges they are showing, and be surprised at how few dollars it will take to get one of them.

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day only.	

TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
Pass... 10:55 p m	No. 3 Pass... 6:40 a m
Pass... 11:20 a m	" 6 Pass... 3:52 p m
Pass... 5:20 a m	" 17 Pass... 3:10 p m
Pass... 4 35 p m	" 11 Pass... 10:35 p m

A BEAUTIFUL LINE OF BELTS.

Belts in all different lengths and all colors of leather—White Kid, Black Seal, Brown Seal, Dark Alligator, Light Alligator, &c., with Silver Buckles; also with Leather Buckles. All of these goods are Genuine Leather, including some of the newest things just received.

A great many new and attractive odd pieces in Sterling Silver, suitable for graduating presents.

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F. H. COLE SHOE CO.,
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Remodeling Sale.

This week (on Wednesday) we will begin remodeling our store, putting in a new front, painting, etc., and during the time the work is being done we will have a CUT PRICE SALE to keep trade booming.

Best Indigo Blue Prints, 4½c yd.
Best Scotch Lawn, 4½c yd.
Best Cotton Challies, light and dark colors, 4½c yd.
Best Half Wool Challies, 12½c yd.
Best Calico Wrappers, 9c.
Best Unbleached Muslin 4½c yd.
Best Cheviot Work Shirts, 48c.
Best 75c Laundered Waists, 48c.
Best Boys' Percale Shirt Waists, 48c.
Silk Capes at \$4.95.
Satin and Velvet Capes at \$4.95.

Hamp Carpets at 12½c.
Ingrain Stair Carpet at 25c and 29c.
Ladies' Tan Oxford at 98c.
Ladies' Black Oxford at 98c.
Ladies' Black India Silk Waists, all sizes, at \$4.95, worth \$6.50.
Ladies' Silk Sun Umbrellas, 98c.
Ladies' Seamless Hose at 10c pair.
Challie Wrappers, cool for summer wear, 98c.
Ready-Made Skirts, all lined nicely \$2.50 up.
Ready-Made Sheets at 50c.
Ready-Made Pillow Cases at 15c.
Persian Percales for waists at 15c.

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Mixed Paint,

also Varnish, in small cans, as well as in large ones. Paint Brushes, all sizes. Everything in the paint line at

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SOCIETY MEETINGS.

I. O. O. F.—All members of Progress Lodge, No. 141, D. of R., are requested to meet at the hall, corner of William and Main streets, at 7:30 p. m. this (Friday) evening. Mrs. LOUIS SHERBORN, N. G. ALFRED TULLIE, Sec.

MASONIC.—Stated communication of Macon Lodge, No. 8, A. F. and A. M., this evening at 7:30 o'clock in Temple Block. W. A. DIXON, W. M. G. P. LEWIS, Sec.

The regular Friday night Holiness meeting will be held this evening in the W. C. T. U. hall at 7:30 o'clock. Every one invited.

LOCAL NEWS.

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Rubber tires for surreys and buggies. George S. Durfee & Bro., 158 South Water street—11-dtf

The members of the Eastern Star at Cerro Gordo will give a big entertainment next Saturday evening.

It was nearly 90 in the shade today. If it had not been for the slight breeze stirring there might have been a number of heat prostrations.

Just Received—A full line of fresh garden seeds from the best and most reliable seedsmen by Spencer & Lehman company. Feb. 26, d&w Smg.

The funeral of Mrs. Annelia Witke was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Johannes German Lutheran church. The services were conducted by Rev. Metzger and the burial was at Greenwood cemetery.

Next Sunday will be Children's Day at the Cumberland Presbyterian church. In the morning Rev. A. W. Hawkins will preach to the parents and children and at night there will be exercises especially arranged for the young people.

Dr. H. C. Jones has received from his son, Lindley, the program of the commencement exercises at the St. John's Military Academy which will take place on June 17. A field day and military day will be held before the commencement.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

Base ball is not dead in Decatur. There may be Deckers, but there are also others, and they are with us, ready to step in and go on with the games. They have already stepped in and there will be a big game at the mark next Sunday. The regular base ball suits will be worn by the players by permission of the Brunswick hotel claimant, and on Monday after the trial as to the ownership of the suits cannot be had at a reasonable figure. Manager Stookley will buy an entire new outfit.

There will be a free band concert at Riverside park on Sunday afternoon.

THE HOGS DISAPPEARED.

And Caused a Law Suit Which Was Tried Yesterday Afternoon in Justice Peledcor's Court.

Yesterday afternoon in Justice Peledcor's court there was a rather interesting law suit which was caused by several head of swine. John Caskey and two negroes, John Brunell and Joe Claypool, were charged by F. C. Schneider with stealing several head of hogs. The hogs had been in charge of one of the negroes who lived on East Eldorado street. Caskey bought the hogs some time ago and Schneider had advanced him the money to pay for them. Caskey gave Schneider the note and wrote on the back of the paper the agreement that Schneider should own the hogs until the note was paid. The note was put in the hands of S. A. D. and R. E. Gray for collection. An agreement was made between Caskey and Schneider that after twenty days if the note was not paid the former should give up all claim to the animals and that Gray & Gray, the attorneys, should have an interest in them. Yesterday the twenty days had expired and the lawyers went to the negro's home to get the hogs but only to find that they had disappeared in the night. A warrant was then sworn out against Caskey and the negroes charging them with stealing the hogs. In the course of the case the note was introduced as evidence but by some accident the note was lost and Schneider's attorneys had neither hogs, money nor note. Attorney Deck appeared for the negroes, Attorney A. H. Mills for the state, and Attorney John R. Fitzgerald for Caskey. Mr. Fitzgerald made the closing speech in which he scored the Gray brothers severely. Justice Peledcor decided that there was no evidence and dismissed the case against Caskey and the two negroes.

COMING OUR WAY.

Republican Marching Club, of Chicago, Going to St. Louis.

WILL PARADE AN HOUR IN 'DECATUR

Governor Tanner and Many Notables Will be in the Party of 400—Marchers All in Uniform.

General interest centers in the coming of the Chicago Marching club which will visit Decatur on Monday, June 15, on its way to the national Republican convention at St. Louis. The Chicago Inter-Ocean, of today, prints the following as to the arrangements made in Chicago last night by the club: A meeting of the Cook county Republican Marching club was held at the Great Northern hotel last evening to conclude details of the arrangements for the club's trip to the Republican national convention at St. Louis. The club will leave for St. Louis over the Wabash road on the morning of June 15. By invitation of D. H. Conklin, mayor of Decatur, Ill., the club will stop for an hour at that city, where a reception will be tendered it.

At Taylorville, Ill., another reception and lunch will be given to the club by Mayor Temple and the other city officials, and a forty-minute stop will be made there. A third stop of forty minutes will be made at Litchfield, Ill., on the invitation of the Litchfield McKinley club, Mayor Taylor and the other city officers. It is intended to have mass meetings at the three places where stops are made, and in this the club will have the hearty co-operation of the citizens of each place. The secretary of the club has received a letter from Hon. W. F. Calhoun warmly seconding the invitation to stop at Decatur. The club will take with it on its trip the Pullman band of fifty pieces.

In St. Louis the club will be the guests of the Merchants' League club of that city, with headquarters at Eighteenth and Olive streets, and will have its own headquarters at the Southern hotel. The club will have its own special train of sleeping cars, which will lie at the old Union depot while the convention is in progress. It is already certain that at least 350 members will take the trip, and it has been arranged that the club shall act as the escort of the Illinois delegation and the state committee at the convention.

A number of the candidates on the state ticket including Governor Tanner, will probably accompany the club, and speak at the meetings held en route.

The club will be handsomely uniformed in blue black three button outway suits, silk hats, and umbrellas, white ties, tan gloves, and black shoes. The entire expense of the round trip, including everything, will be only \$12.50 for each man.

The members of the club will have no difficulty in securing admission to the convention hall. It is proposed, by means of the three meetings to be held on the way to St. Louis, to make the trip an efficient factor in the state campaign, and it is believed that it will be a rousing success generally.

Among the officers of the Cook county Republican Marching club are H. Dorsey Patton, president; William T. Turner, secretary, and Captain W. F. Knoch, marshal.

It is the most important Republican organization of its kind in Illinois, and its objects are to organize a well drilled body of men to turn out and march at the request of the central organization of the Republican party as an escort to prominent Republicans who visit the city, and at other times as deemed desirable by the club.

Largest Oats Crop Ever Sown.
The Orange Judd Farmer Summary on coarse grains at this date is as follows: "The acreage of oats is estimated at 30,443,000 acres, or 900,000 more than last year, and the largest ever sown. Condition of the crop 94.1, ten points higher than has been reported in any year since 1888. A large acreage of corn has been planted and the season to date very favorable. General condition 95.9, and practically perfect in some of the principal states."

Railroad Notes.

R. S. Greenwood has been appointed traveling passenger agent of the Wabash for Michigan. He succeeds John R. Green, resigned.

Mr. C. W. McGuire, having resigned to accept service with another company, Mr. E. M. Heberd, is appointed auditor of the Peoria, Decatur & Evansville.

Workshop in Song.

Preparation is being made for a service of song at the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening. There will be anthems by the choir, solos by Mrs. W. D. Hillman, Mr. George Dunston, and a violin solo by Miss Jeannette Powers. Addresses will be made by the pastor and assistant pastor.

Will Give a Social.

This evening the members of the Decatur Lodge of Good Templars will give a social at their hall in the Library block. A program of music will be rendered and the public are invited to attend.

Married.

At the home of the bride at Oakley, June 4, by Rev. McClure, Edward J. Hess and Miss May Mancke.

A GRIST OF BUSINESS.

Lots of Entries on the Docket in the Circuit Court To-Day.

There was a whole string of business in the motion line in the circuit court today. Judge Vail made these entries on the dockets:

Common Law Docket.
F. H. Converse vs. Alonzo Hall, assumption; default and damages assessed by court at \$238.49; judgment for same and costs.
Henry Tameyer vs. James A. Cook, appeal; appeal dismissed on call for non-compliance with rule and proceeding awarded and judgment against defendant for costs.

Chancery Docket.
William G. Ammann vs. Frank P. Roddy, foreclosure of lien; rule to answer extended to second Saturday; leave to amend bill and make new party defendant; appearance of A. H. Cope extended.
James M. Miller vs. Audley D. Riskey, foreclosure of lien; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.

Nancy A. Kershner vs. Henry C. Kershner, divorce, proof of publication made.
Nellie Tay vs. Agnes V. Roddy, foreclosure; time to answer extended to second Saturday.

Arthur H. Humphrey vs. Frank P. Roddy, foreclosure; mechanics' lien; time to answer extended to second Saturday.
George W. Drury vs. Mary C. Lehman, partition; rule to answer extended to second Friday.

Robert L. Walston vs. Michael Cavanaugh, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.
Albert Barnes vs. Frank W. Caldwell, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.

William J. Pogram vs. Frank P. Roddy, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.
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Jennie Albert vs. Frank P. Roddy, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.

Daniel Stookley vs. Frank P. Roddy, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.
The Savings Fund Building Association vs. Mary E. Morhouse, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.

William J. Pogram vs. Martha J. Bennot, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.
John R. King vs. Frank P. Roddy, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.

W. J. Day vs. Frank P. Roddy, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.
Wilber C. Miller vs. Frank P. Roddy, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.

Edward L. Pogram vs. James L. Reynolds, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.
Savings Fund Building Association vs. Charles M. Penrod, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.

Katherine H. Pogram vs. Agnes V. Roddy, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.
The Central Union Building and Loan Association of Bloomington vs. Emma E. Bolos, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.

John R. King vs. Fernando H. Wood, foreclosure; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.
Louise Davis and Edna Davis by C. C. Leforge, their guardian, vs. Louis P. Smith, bill; rule to answer extended to third Monday.

George S. Lyons vs. Frank P. Roddy, bill, to enforce lien; rule to answer extended to second Saturday.
Alexander Cox vs. Elizabeth H. Burns, petition to supply trustee; trustee appointed at former term declines and excused by court; motion by complainant to have Matilda Cox appointed trustee and motion allowed.

Horses Wanted.

For the city of Decatur, one pair of smooth, sound horses, five to eight years old, well broke, good style and action intelligent and well bred, weighing from 1050 to 1200 pounds. The purchasing committee will be at Tom Donke's wagon yard on June 5, 1898, from 9 to 4 p. m., for the purpose of buying this team. C. S. Hankins, Chairman Purchasing Committee.—1d-5t.

Excursion tickets to St. Louis via Wabash will be sold for trains leaving at 6:55 a. m. Saturday, June 6th, and 8:40 a. m. and 6:55 a. m. Sunday, June 7. All tickets will be good returning on all trains up to and including train leaving St. Louis, Sunday, June 7, at 9 p. m. Besides the ruins left by the cyclone there are many attractions at St. Louis. For complete list of attractions and map of city call at city or depot ticket office.—3-4t

Creditors of Fred J. Collins, who failed for many thousands of dollars at Macon, Ill., will be paid 28 cents on the dollar.

BUSINESS FAILURE.

Assignment at Walker Station to R. H. Woodcock of Macon.

TOTAL LIABILITIES AS \$68,414.08.

Full List of Creditors—Few in Decatur—Assignments Due to

Bad Investments.

In the county court today was filed a report of assignments on the part of John W. Walker, lately in the grain and lumber business at the town of Walker station, on the Illinois Central railroad, a few miles below Macon. The assignee is Robert H. Woodcock, of Macon. The failure is due to a series of bad deals on the part of Mr. Walker during the past few years. The liabilities aggregate over \$68,000.

Assets.
All of the northwest quarter of section 8 lying west of the Illinois Central railroad, also all of the northeast quarter of section 8 lying west of the Illinois Central railroad and all of the south half of section 5, lying west of the Illinois Central railroad except 60 acres off the north side all in 14, 3 east, occupied by John W. Walker as homestead, also commanding west at a point 100 feet from the center of the Illinois Central railroad thence running through the half section line running through 8, 1/2, 2 east, nine rods, thence running west of the south parallel with the Illinois Central railroad, 65 rods thence northwesterly 65 rods to the place of beginning containing 3.29 acres except 300 feet off the north end of said tract including all buildings thereon.

Horses, surrey, buggy, wagons, harness, note given by Charles H. Failing \$1,000.

Liabilities.
Burnham, Truitt & Mattie, Champaign, \$4,000; school trustees, Macon county, \$5,800; Mrs. Friedley, Macon county, \$1,000; Harry —, Iowa \$500, J. S. Hight & Sons, Macon, \$23,000; J. C. Fushenberg, Macon township, \$1,000, Emma Daum, Marion, Ind., \$300, P. J. Theglewood, Cairo, Ill., \$7,007.88, A. Giller, Macon, \$1,145; J. I. Warren, Macon, \$800; P. Beechle, Macon, \$100.00; Wm. C. Corn, Chicago, \$4,000; C. B. Corlison, Chicago, \$2,735.88; T. J. Fleming, Decatur, \$318.46; D. Patterson, Macon, \$106.49; G. Russell, Macon, \$175.10; J. W. Walker & Co., Macon, \$1,302.80; C. H. Arnold, Macon county, \$104.10; E. B. Sanner, Shelby county, \$258.90, J. H. Gibson, Macon county, \$260.80, Mrs. E. Chapman, Christian county, \$70.40, Mary E. Walker, Walker, Ill., \$1,320, Mary Estella Walker as guardian, Walker, Ill., \$3,980; J. VanGundy, Decatur, \$4,022, E. Walker, Assumption, \$405; W. Barber, Walker, \$215; David Overest, executor, Macon county, \$3,244; Edith Walker Myers, Storm Lake, Iowa, \$1,000; J. W. Race Clothing Co., Decatur, \$23. Total, \$68,414.08.

NEW BASE BALL MANAGER.

S. W. Stookley Has Taken Charge of the Decatur Club—Decker Out.

The Decatur base ball club has been reorganized with a new financial manager and a new captain. Harry Decker left manager, now has no connection whatever with the club. The new manager is S. W. Stookley, of Decatur, son of J. M. Stookley, of San Antonio, Texas, formerly a merchant in this city. Mr. Stookley is a young man of energy and means and has already assumed obligations which the late manager could not or would not meet. The lumber bill at the park, near \$800, on which not a cent had been paid, has been assumed by Mr. Stookley, as has also some other bills for labor etc. He will be the financial man of the club. The captain is James Adams, the catcher who will look after the men and the games on the field. He will arrange dates for visiting clubs and with Manager Stookley will see that the game at the park are all first class and entertaining. Several of the members of the club will be released as soon as deals can be made to secure better players in order to strengthen the team.

Game for Sunday.

Manager Stookley and Captain Adams will have a good game for the public at the park Sunday afternoon. It will be one of the best of the season.

It was expected by some, that Decker would return to Decatur last night with ample funds to meet all of his obligations but thus far he has not materialized and shows who claim to know him best, what he will not come back. It's no odds now what he does, say the new management. They have the park and the players and will go on with the sport.

Sales of Real Estate.

Sullivan Burgess to Orlando Powers the northeast quarter of 35, 18, 1 east 1/2, Henrietta A. Tuttle to T. Carroll McLeire, lots 24 and 25 in block 7 in Walnut Grove addition to Decatur. \$375.

Fred Jones to E. W. Kincheloe, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, in block 3 in village of Boody, \$1,800.

Highest of all in Leavening Power—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

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ANOTHER VETO.

The President Files His Objection to the General Deficiency Bill.

HE DEFENDS THE VETO.

The House Likely to Concede President's Views—Another Ready to Rush Through the House.

Washington, June 6.—The president today sent to the house a message, the general deficiency appropriation bill. The message includes the declaration of the veto power, a lot of the French spoliation claims, amounting over a million dollars, and action to the payment of the Chicago for \$174,445 arising out of the ton of the iron clad steam tug.

The president, reviewing the the French spoliation claims have been before congress in another for nearly a century years. He quotes from the decision of the supreme court, of states to the effect that any the government on these claims a form of gratuity, not for a bill. He also cites the opinion attorney general of the United States and several other decisions. Moreover, France denied bill, and it is only by the United States took over this liability that this government responsible. The president the history of claims in coming how, from nearly the beginning of this century, they have been before various congresses and favorably, till 1840 when a bill for the relief of the claim President Polk vetoed it could "perceive no legal grounds upon which this a can rest." In 1860, another passed was vetoed by President with the statement, "It was no ground on which to rely of the United States. It was that any appropriation of then. In the last hour of claim of \$1,800,000 went through.

The house committee on appropriations agreed upon a deficiency bill to be eliminated. As seen as the deficiency bill is sustained as it will be Chairman Cannon the consideration of the bill believed it can be passed.

The conference on the naval bill has agreed on a final agreement provides for three ships and fixed the price of at \$420 per ton.

Lord chairman of the committee, moved to suspend the senate bill amendment of fourth class mail amendment related solely to considering it to "private matter." At present all can be franked. Lord said gurgled with all sorts of gossips. Last year a million pounds went through the post-office. Lord said this be handled by express company fourth what it cost the government expressed the opinion that station of mails cost the government as much as it should.

The House and Senate.

Washington, June 6.—The under a special order adopted at the opening, proceeded to under suspension of the rule extending the jurisdiction States court in the Indiana providing for laying out coal and timber, farm and was passed.

After some further discussion passed 102 to 85.

The speaker then laid on the president's message, a general deficiency bill. A motion bill over the veto was lost.

In the senate today a motion reported favorably for a peace monument at Annapolis where Grant and Alian reported partially explained the house committee agree to any appropriation buildings. Among those buildings at the capital Idaho, Wyoming, Montana conference also declined \$50,000 appropriation for the Brussels exposition though the state department most desirable. Dubois plea for a public building Capitals. He said it was the speaker of the house the house committee on and grounds, declined to new public building that both those gentlemen